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Applicant : **Ana Isabel SANZ MOLINERO et al.**  
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Title : TRANSGENIC MONOCOTYLEDONOUS PLANTS  
: OVEREXPRESSING A NHX PROTEIN AND HAVING  
: IMPROVED GROWTH CHARACTERISTICS AND METHODS  
: FOR MAKING THE SAME  
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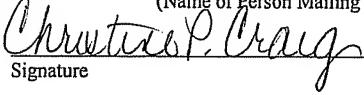
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In response to the Office Action and Restriction Requirement, dated October 3, 2007, Applicants hereby elect without traverse the claims of **Group I, claims 22 (in part) and 23-33** and submits the following remarks.

**REMARKS** begin on page 2 of this document.

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